Mr. I. N. Menon.—(a) To discuss matters of special urgency relating to the training of teachers, the possibility of adopting a common policy by both States in the matter of grants-in-aid, to study at first hand the nature and extent of the accommodation and equipment in the Science College at Trivandrum, etc.

(b) Rs. 26—12—0.

Chengaloor Road.

529. Mr. T. A. Ramachandra Ayyar.—Will the Government be pleased to state what has been done with the amount sanctioned in the budget for this year for the Chengaloor road;

(b) what is the delay due to the land acquisition for this road ?

Mr. V. K. Aravindaksha Menon.—(a) The amount was utilised for paying the land acquisition charges for the first seven furlongs of the road.

(b) Want of funds this year for further acquisition of lands.

Mr. T. A. Ramachandra Ayyar.— (a) May I know whether the award has been passed?

Rao Sahib Mr. T. V. Kasturi Ranga Ayyar.—The award has been passed, land has been acquired and it will be made over on Monday at 4 clock.

Late Mr. T. P. Anantanarayana Ayyar.

530. Mr. T. A. Ramachandra Ayyar—Will the Government be pleased to state:—

1. the date on which the late Mr. T. P. Anantanarayana Ayyar, Inspector of Schools, died;
2. the number of years he served the Government;
3. what was his age at the time of his death;
4. whether the Government have received any petition from his family for any compassionate allowance;
5. has the Government considered about the payment of any compassionate allowance to the family of the late Inspector regard being had to his long and useful service.

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2. 27 years 10 months and 15 days.
3. 50 years and 5 days.
4. Yes.
5. The question of compassionate allowance will be considered along with other similar cases for which statistics are being collected.

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